

## Weekly Health Tip:

## Teach Kids Healthy Habits

Healthy kids are more likely to become healthy adults. Be a role model and help your kids develop skills to make safe and healthy choices every day. Do the following to promote healthy living in your home:

- Fasten seat belts.
- Wear a helmet during outdoor activities, including riding bikes and inline skating.
- Put on sunscreen and insect repellent.
- Brush and floss teeth.
- Wash hands with clear running water and apply soap. Rub hands for at least 20 seconds, then rinse.
- Grab opportunities to be active with your kids. Children and adolescents need a total of 60 minutes of physical activity every day.
- Be smoke-free, and stay away from secondhand smoke.
- Take every opportunity to be a healthy role model. Show your child what it means to respect himself/herself and others.

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